

K. Y. G'S. WILL DANCE IN MAY

Popular Club. Completes Arrangements For Big Social Affair Next Month.

The K. Y. G. Club, composed of 14 well known and popular Sonoma girls will give a grand ball at the Womans clubhouse on Saturday evening, May 3rd. Arrangements have been completed for this big social affair which will no doubt eclipse the dance given by this popular club last year. Nick's Jazz band of St Helena which was acknowledged to be the best ever heard here, will again play for the young ladies and the floor will be under the capable management of Mrs. Rose Bartoli and Miss Dorellis Breitenbach. Refreshments will be served at midnight.

THE BIRD MAN IS COMING

Chester E. Hutchins, the bird man will deliver his interesting lecture here in which he imitates birds and sketches them. He will be heard at the Congregational church to-night and Sunday evenings and is said to present a highly entertaining and instructive program. The admission will be 25c for adults and 10c for children. 8 o'clock is the hour set for the interesting lectures which have proven big drawing cards everywhere.

A NICE EXHIBIT

The Easter display in the windows of the Sonoma Valley Shoe Store reflects the spirit of this joyous season and everything new and beautiful is seen in footwear. The prices also are surprisingly attractive.

Mrs. Lloyd Hotz and two little sons of Seattle are here on a visit to Sonoma relatives.

Chris Stengle of Santa Rosa who some time ago sold his 1000 acre ranch and retired, was in town Wednesday. The retired capitalist visited with his old friend, "Pop" Hibbard while in town.

Among the fishermen seen along our trout streams recently was vice-president N. J. Heggie of the First National Bank. Mr. Heggie was not enthusiastic over his luck but always enjoys the "great outdoors" immensely.

The Hunter-Hanger home will be the place of the annual meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational Church next month.

CORPORAL CHARLEY KELLY HERE FROM VIRGINIA

Corporal Chas. Kelly, formerly of the Sonoma Feed Store, has been here on a furlough from Camp Stewart, Virginia. He has been a guest at the Ed Lindley home and received a hearty welcome from other old Sonoma friends. Charley has enlisted for another year and will return to Virginia shortly. He says there is no comparison between old Virginia and sunny California, our golden state being so far ahead of the South that he cannot understand how anyone remains there in preference. He was near Newport News and just before the armistice, started to embark for overseas, his rations even being assigned. Afterwards he returned to Camp Morrison and Stewart. He says the negro problem crops up in the army all the time and there are frequent cutting and shooting scraps among the blacks. Although Virginia is dry, Kelly says that fancy prices will buy plenty of booze any time and frequently fakers get \$5 a flask for "whiskey" which turns out to be nothing but cold tea.

He says the army "eats" are good and also the fare at the hostess house of the W. Y. C. A. where soldiers get nice meals at moderate prices. The soldiers in general, however are "held up" for high prices everywhere Charley says. A street car ride of a mile means about three fares and tobacco is higher than in California, even in Richmond where there are big tobacco factories. He says the army camp towns will be flag stations when the camps are disbanded, so the population is evidently "making hay while the sun shines".

"SENATE CLUB" VISITS STATE CAPITOL

Professor Golton took the "Senate Club" of the High School to Sacramento Tuesday where they took in the state capitol and meeting of the legislature. It was a fine experience for the boys and girls and they were introduced around by our Sonoma county law makers including Hebert Slater, B. F. Madison and Mr. Young of Healdsburg. In the afternoon the boys took in a ball game between the Oaks and Sacramento team. Those who went up were, Prof. Golton, Louise Batto, Norma Jansen, Meryl Bish, Frank Cornwall, Frank Canevary, Fred Schell, Steve Duhring, Harold Prestwood, Major Phillips, Abe Manuck, Donald Cameron, Laura Wickham and Ermen Regusci.

Mrs. L. McElroy has been visiting in San Francisco and suburbs this week.

SONOMA CATTLE BRING \$6,245.00

7 Head of London Ranch Stock Sold At Auction For As Much as \$1,400 A Head. Average \$878.00

That there are "no flies" on Sonoma valley shorthorns and few the peer of a woman stock raiser, Mrs. Eliza Shepard of Glen Ellen, was demonstrated at the big sale of short horns at the Davis Agricultural farm last Tuesday when seven head of the Jack London ranch stock brought \$6,245.00. Valley Pride was sold for \$1,400.00 and went to Senator Rush of Contra Costa county. Selection brought \$1,300.00 and the average price paid for every head offered was \$878.00. Besides Senator Rush, who purchased two of the famous herd, other buyers were Mrs. Todd of Monterey, Frank Brown of Oregon, H.M. Marshall and Mr. Kiehner.

The stock ranged in age from 15 months to 5 years old, the 15 months calf bringing \$1,300.00. Aside from "California Model", a U. C. entry, the London ranch shorthorns commanded the highest figures of any at the sale.

The results are very gratifying to Mrs. Shepard, superintendent of the ranch, and sister of Jack London, whose dream of raising prize stock just like these, he never lived to see realized, but whose wishes and ideas are being carried out and are bearing fruit as this Davis sale demonstrates.

The attendance at the shorthorn sale which was under the auspices of the State Association, was very large. The London ranch representatives motored up and had a fine trip. Those in the party besides Mrs. Shepard, were, Misses M. Ely, Mildred Ranker, Walter Jurgewitz, Mr. Woodward and Lee Kynoch at the wheel of the car.

REBEKAHS HAVE INITIATION

Verdant Degree Lodge of Rebekahs had an initiation and banquet at the meeting Thursday night. Miss Dorothy Bagnoroff was initiated and the fine spread served later was under the direction of the hostesses of the evening, Misses Ethel and Agnes Revie and Miss Stella McGill.

Horace Dickinson of Napa, formerly an employee at the Home, died Wednesday at Santa Rosa.

R. Q. Wickham was a welcome visitor at our sanctuary one day this week.

Tony Cereghino, popular employee of Leveroni & Maffei, suffered a painful accident when he caught his finger in a grinding machine, badly crushing the member. Dr. Thomson attended him.

Dr. L. B. Lawson, of the Lawson-Rinner Optical Co. of Santa Rosa, will be at the Union Hotel on Monday, April 14th.

Congressman Clarence F. Lea, driving a tractor while plowing his orchard at Schellville has been a familiar sight to passersby the last week. Mr. Lea loves the farm but expects to resume his duties in Washington about May 1st. He went to Santa Rosa Tuesday evening.

Summer vacation rates on the rail road at a reduction of one third of the present fares are promised by the government for all points within a radius of 400 miles from San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Peterson are the proud parents of a baby girl born at Mrs. Peterson's mother's home near Caliente last Sunday. This is the second child, the first born being a sturdy boy.

CHAPTER HONORS OLD MEMBERS

Eastern Stars Have Long To Be Remembered Evening For Auld Lange Syne.

An evening of rare charm and sentiment was that arranged Thursday night by the Eastern Star for the charter members of the Chapter, the gracious ladies of the days of 1885, which was the year when Valley of the Moon Chapter came upon the horizon in the historic city of old Sonoma. It was fitting and appropriate that the four members of the original organizers, and Mrs. J. A. Poppe, a very old member also, should be honored and well did the matron Mrs. Burmester and her loyal assistants do them honor.

The hall was a bower of floral loveliness, old fashioned lilac and other seasonal flowers predominating in the main hall and breathing a fragrance of early spring and welcome to the guests of honor. Attired in their best bib and tucker, the dear old ladies some of them indeed still in the prime of life were present to grace the occasion. Though a charter member, one could not associate Mrs. Stofen, one of the guests, with the generation of yesterday except for the wealth of history she recalled in her charming address delivered in her own inimitable manner. Not so young, perhaps, but still possessing vivacity and keen interest was Mrs. Cynthia Goodman and Mrs. Dora Akers, while Mrs. Mary Shaw though soon to celebrate her 83rd birthday, was among the most enthusiastic present and cut her birthday cake amidst a wealth of re-partee and with poise remarkable for her years.

Mrs. J. A. Poppe ninety years of age last month declared this evening to be the happiest in all her fraternal experience and she was the center of much attention throughout the affair. There were between 85 and 100 members and visiting members present. A feature of the meeting was the initiation of Max Soley and Miss Grace Mills of Eldridge into the Order. Mrs. Blinn of Petaluma and a quartette rendered the music for the ritual work, and Mrs. Josie Munk of Napa, contralto, sang most beautifully. After the meeting there was a dainty spread in the banquet hall where the tables were illumined with antique candelabras and the guests of honor were presented with lovely old fashioned bouquets. There was speech making and a social time which will linger long in the memory of every one present.

M. P. AKERS OF SCHELLVILLE BUYS STUDEBAKER
James F. Dickason, agent for the Studebaker car, has sold a light 'Six' touring car to M. P. Akers of Schellville.

Resolutions of respect for the late Martha Stearns were drawn up by a committee of the Ladies Aid and also by the Womans Club. The latter organization is to have a copy of the resolutions framed and hung upon the walls of the clubhouse in memory of the "Mother of the Club".

Dr. A. M. Thomson has received a wire from an Atlantic port that his brother, Paul, has arrived from overseas. After being mustered out at Camp Kearney, he will come to Sonoma and here greet his mother whom he has not seen for three years. Mrs. Thomson Sr. will return to her home in Kansas City after she has visited with both of her soldier sons.

SONOMA COUNTY'S ROAD PROGRAM

Has Important Bearing On This Valley's Future. Progress-Dictates Boosting For Bond Election.

If the program laid down by Sonoma County for the building of the permanent highway all through this section is carried out by the overwhelming vote of our people at the big bond election called for next month, the future of Sonoma county and unprecedented prosperity will be assured. The unbiased and highly competent report and plan of the Federal Road Engineer, Mr. Lynch has been adopted. After a complete and exhaustive study of Sonoma county's road needs the expert estimated the cost after final analysis at \$1,600,000. This is the amount for which the county is to be bonded. The improvements are designed to meet the needs of each section and its future development.

Launching the big project at this time is right in accord with government advice to provide work for returning soldiers and is to minimize unemployment.

The project is of especial interest to the historic and beautiful Sonoma valley for the federal engineer laid particular stress on the importance of connecting adjoining counties and making the gateways into Sonoma county accessible and attractive in order that travel may be brought within our border lines and continuing onward. Hitherto much traffic has been diverted owing to our poor roads and we have suffered accordingly, while watching other sections reap the benefit of their progress and foresight in having provided high class highways.

The state highway is regarded as the back bone of our road system said Mr. Lynch and access to the county seat from all points was urged. As the state highway is to be continued from the Black Point Cut-off intersection to Santa Rosa, it will be readily seen that when the state bond issue is assured Sonoma will have a piece of back bone running the length of the Valley of the Moon.

In conjunction with this main artery included in the state road building program, the county bond election will provide money for the following improvements as outlined in the report:

Sonoma to State Highway near Napa county line, 5.5 miles.— This road extends from Sonoma in a south easterly direction and connects with the State Highway route to Sacramento, known as the Black Point cut-off. This road is part of the main road between the southern section of the county and the town of Napa and Napa county, and if improved a great deal of business would come into Sonoma county from that section. The present road fairly well located and could be built on this line with several changes to improve the grades and eliminate several unnecessary curves.

The improvements made on this road should be Class B construction. Petaluma-Sonoma Road, 13.5 miles.— Extending from the corporation limits of Petaluma in a southeasterly direction, thence in an easterly direction approximately over the present road via Stage Gulch canyon to the limits of Sonoma.

There will have to be protection provided for parts of this road thru the canyon as it is badly washed in some places. An effort should be made to secure a new location higher up to eliminate the danger of slides.

The type of construction used on this road should be Class A for the first five miles from Petaluma and on the remaining eight and one half miles it should be Class B.

A good feature of the county plan is that the roads on which the heaviest and greatest volume of travel falls will be built first in order to stop the present up-keep expense on them. When once built these new roads will carry most of the traffic thus easing up other thoroughfares and releasing money for laterals.

The asphaltic macadam roads will not be wasted and are to be utilized until the wear has been gotten out of them. They are to be replaced when they can be no longer maintained with economy.

All over the county, loyal citizens are boosting for the bonds. Start now Be a booster.

CELEBRATES HER SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Mary E. Murphy celebrated her seventieth birthday last Sunday at the pretty bungalow home on Patton St. and a family dinner party was given in honor of the event by Miss Florence Murphy. The dinner was scheduled for 1 o'clock but long before that hour, friends and neighbors began to call and wish Mrs. Murphy many happy returns of the day.

Lovely sprays of spring blossoms, dainty and exquisite bouquets and other remembrances were presented to the gracious and much esteemed Sonoma mother who recalled that it was not only her 70th birthday, but her 50th wedding anniversary also. Her husband died many years ago in Illinois.

With the arrival of the family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Murphy and four children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Murphy, the guest of honor and her children and grandchildren were photographed by L. S. Simmons on the veranda and lawn of the home.

Dinner was then served and in addition to all the other delicious "eats", a mammoth birthday cake with the number "70" outlined in candles graced the table.

A joyous and long to be remembered day was enjoyed by Mrs. Murphy and her family and many and sincere were the congratulations bestowed upon this most excellent mother who has come to the 70th milestone of life with a kindly attitude toward all the world and a philosophy of life which many might well emulate.

A feature of the occasion was the bringing to light of much cherished heirlooms which are the proud heritage of Mrs. Murphy, her grandmother's and mother's wedding dresses, also her own, and other interesting keepsakes. She presented to her sons a hand woven and spun coverlet over 150 years old and a hand spun linen table cover, both of which were the handiwork of her great grandmother, Susan Bradley.

DANCE TONIGHT AT KENWOOD

The announcement of a dance tonight at the Kenwood clubhouse for the benefit of the clubhouse fund was received here with much interest as our young people always have a good time at the Kenwood dances.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins have been up to El Verano and while here visited at the Bolin home.

A marriage license was issued in San Francisco this week to Miss Lydia Regusci, daughter of well known Glen Ellen residents and E. Locarnini, a brother of a prominent Napa Attorney.

A crowd of young folks surprised Ernest Coates, one of our popular bachelors, one night last week by giving him a jolly party. The genial Coates and his partner, Ralph Busby did the honors of the evening in royal style.

Mrs. Douglas Church, who has been in San Francisco with her daughters there since the death of Mr. Church, has returned to Sonoma valley and is now with Mrs. Fred Schell. N. R. Knight has been ill at his Schellville home and many anxious inquiries have been made by the friends of the esteemed resident of that section.

Mrs. L. L. Lewis suffered an acute heart attack at her country home near here Wednesday night and for a time considerable anxiety was felt over her condition.

NAVAL OFFICERS VISIT MASONS

Brilliant Event at Sonoma Lodge F. & A. M. Last Saturday.

Last Saturday evening was a brilliant one in the history of local Masonry for Sonoma Lodge was visited by a team of Naval officer members from Mare Island who exemplified the third degree work of the order. They were accompanied by a large delegation from Solano Lodge, Vallejo. About 75 were present at this fine meeting and the presence of the officers of the navy in the attractive uniforms of the service, the splendid exemplification of the work and many fine speeches, made the event a most impressive one. Master of the Sonoma Lodge, Frank McGill, was a pleasing host and did himself proud on this occasion.

A banquet followed the meeting and there were songs, speechmaking and much sociability.

SONOMA IS GROWING

Sonoma is growing, as is evidenced by the attendance at the Sonoma Grammar School where there are now over 200 pupils in attendance. So crowded are the rooms and so large the classes, that next term the additional school room, provided for this expected growth when the fine new building was erected, will be utilized. Another teacher is to be employed. At present, the conscientious teaching force is having after school sessions to drill those who are backward and to speed up the work.

The post office is also prime-face evidence that Sonoma is growing. The business of the office has increased to such volume that we are even entitled to a town mail carrier, which was undreamed of metropolitan some years ago. We have several pay-rolls in town, now people are settling here right along, the merchants report business good and if it were not for the instability of some lines of business, caused by freakish agitation and pernicious legislation, Sonoma would be booming.

Irving Shepard, whose ship was anchored opposite the Sultans palace in Turkey some time ago, has arrived in New York, after a terrific storm. His ship lost both life-boats and had a hole torn in its bottom before making the Atlantic port.

Lt. Leland Volquardsen of the U. S. Navy has just completed a cruise to Italy.

Dave Eraldi has rented the Winkle cottage on Spain Street and will make it his home after his marriage which is to be an after Easter event.

The Middleton Glaisters have returned to Santa Barbara after some time spent on a large ranch. Their daughter, Hazel, is training for a nurse and their son, Percy has taken up electricity.

Ed Peterson wired his sister, Miss Nellie, last Saturday that he had arrived in New York from overseas and would be mustered out from Camp Kearney very shortly.

GET YOUR DISCHARGE

Discharged soldiers who fought in the big war are going to be issued regular honest-to-goodness "honorable discharge" medals. The emblem will be a bronze label button, similar to that of the G. A. R. A design has been selected from fifteen models submitted by artists and sculptors.

Your "honorable discharge" will be the "V" sign hanging in the window showing you are a subscriber to the Victory Loan.

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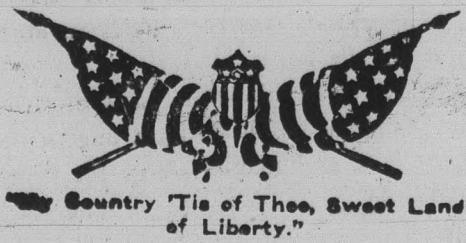
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And Now The Baby Chick Shipper "Gets His"

THAT ALL which is to come forth from the sacred precincts of theological minds to reform the world, has not been sprung yet is evidenced by a new wall from a sky pilot contributor to "Our Dumb Animals" who opines in a pathetic article that the shipment of baby chicks is a crime and should be suppressed. Rev. A. L. Murray, D. L.T.T., (whatever the title extension means) says that a theological seminary and baby chick establishment thrive side by side in a community he knows of an inconsistency which he calls glaring, because "the one makes for human kindness and promotes the religion of love" while the other is a monstrous practice.

From our point of view, there must be a whole lot of things incubated in theological seminaries now days besides true christianity, brotherly love and the doctrine of kindness, judging from the discord breeders, fire biting reformers and spectacular regenerators being turned out as preachers now days. No body, nor any line of business, is safe while these mischief-making trouble hunters are abroad, and occasionally a whack is taken by them in the most unexpected quarters, as for instance, the baby chick raisers who little dreamed they would come under fire at the hands of simpering, unexperienced, idealists, who seek to show how tender-hearted and noble their natures in order to twine a little more halo 'round their brows. What though they over-ride the judgment and rights of others? What though they would put honest toilers out of business?

Now the baby chick business is something we can tell the "Dumb Animals" editor about, for Sonoma Valley confesses to shipping thousands of them each season, and our producers and shippers of these day-old chicks are among our very best, citizens. They are neither inhumane or indifferent either to the well-being of man or beast. They do know their business, and are highly successful at it because they select eggs for hatching which produce healthy, strong chicks, which arrive at their destinations a few days after they are hatched, in such perfect condition that year after year, buyers repeat their orders, so pleased are they with the matured flocks from these self-same chicks. Few if any "die enroute, are disabled or handicapped for life"

The day-old chick "so tender, so fluffy and helpless" does not think much about its journey for the very reason that its journey is arranged for by people who do all the thinking for it and understand that baby chicks need no food or nourishment for 36 to 48 hours other than that supplied by the egg yolk which goes into the chick just before it is hatched. The journey is therefore at the right time and the sturdy youngsters arrive at their new homes in time for breakfast.

Had Rev. Murray spent a little time at work on a chicken ranch or at a school like Davis, (California's farm school with its courses in poultry raising etc.) instead of in the cloistral seclusion of a theological seminary, he might be a considerably wiser divine.

Here is what the reverend gentleman wrote about the "atrocious": "There is a little town in the middle West that is known far and wide to many people for two things: a theological seminary, and a business house that makes a specialty of shipping day-old chicks. These two things do not seem to be consistent. The one makes for human kindness and promotes the religion of love. The other takes day-old chicks, so tender, so fluffy and helpless, and sends them buzzing along in express cars where they are rushed with constant vibration and periodic bumps amid a constant whir or discordant irritating sounds for hours.

"Some die enroute. Most of them are permanently disabled or "handicapped" for life. They do not as a rule thrive, but are stupid, ill shaped, and frequently starved on long trips. The day-old chick that is sent on an express car journey gets a set-back from which he never recovers. Many poultry men consider the day-old chick business cruel and inhuman.

"One can easily imagine what the day old chick might think about it. Were he endowed with power to speak to humans he could tell a story of how he was set in a world without love and without humane feeling. But we need not indulge in impossible imaginations for we can form a very definite idea of how the Maker of all things and the God of all life feels about the indictments of the day-old chick business. If this business is not suppressed by law it should be suppressed by the decent democracy that has just won an epoch-making victory over the spirit of inhumanity and its cold and cruel power. We cannot now afford to foster and business that destroys in our people the gracious good of our hard fought welfare. America, save the day-old chick!"

A NEW AMERICAN LONG RANGE GUN



SONOMA AWAKENS TO NEW LIBERTY LOAN DUTY

James Ramage is to be chairman of the Sonoma county campaign for the Liberty Loan issue, the fifth war bonds issued by the government, according to appointment made in San Francisco, Thursday at the conference of workers held there.

John P. Overton will be chairman of the campaign in the city of Santa Rosa, with E. C. Rand in charge of the campaign in the rural districts and B. M. Levy acting as secretary and campaign manager. The drive will open on April 21 and run until May 10.

James Ramage, Ralph Belden and Frank P. Doyle were the Santa Rosa representatives present at the conference of Liberty Loan workers held in the St. Francis hotel Thursday in San Francisco.

Other representatives present from Sonoma county included the following:

John R. Denman, Petaluma; J. H. Miller, Healdsburg; A. B. Swain, Sebastopol; J. R. Gallagher, Bodega; C. L. Sedgely, Cloverdale; H. E. Black, Geyserville.

Governor Lynch, president of the Federal Reserve Bank, is in Washington, and upon his return the quotas of the counties will be announced. The trophy train will make a trip here and will go into Mendocino and Humboldt counties, making stops at all the principal stations. Companies of soldiers and marines who served in France will be sent out into the counties and the Marine Band from Vallejo will be available for communities desiring it.

It was the consensus of opinion at the meeting that the government owed the money and would have to pay the bills, so would get the money. If the bonds were not subscribed the people would be taxed for the money. It is better to invest in interest-paying bonds to pay these bills than to pay it out taxes. The committees were instructed to so inform the public and sell the bonds.

Miss Ethel Gerickie has decided to remain with her father at Sebastopol and will not return to El Verano, much to the regret of the Burmester family and other Sonoma valley friends.

WE SHOULD WORRY ABOUT PRICES! READ THIS

Peter Pedroncelli of the Swiss-American restaurant on Tuesday received a letter from a friend in Switzerland which goes to show that the high cost of living has not as yet struck this country and he says that everybody here ought to be glad that he is not living in Switzerland, just now. In the first place, the friend writes that the country is still under rations and that they are scarce.

As to prices, well listen: He writes that live cows are selling at \$320 and are scarce at that. Veal on foot brings 40c per pound and cow meat brings 80c per pound in the meat shops when it is obtainable.

Eggs are 20c each or \$2.40 per dozen and scarce at that.

Cornmeal in \$40 per 100 pounds. Butter retails at \$1 per pound when it can be obtained and lard at \$1.50 per pound.

Pastry sells at the rate of \$1.50 per pound and everything else is at the same proportion. —Pet. Argus.

The Santa Rosa press has the following to say concerning the passing of the patriotic Exemption Board.

"The exemption board adjourned sine die on Monday after 21 months of existence. Draft Board No 2 of Sonoma county held its first meeting July 1, 1917, being organized as follows: Charles E. Lee, chairman; Maynard G. Young, secretary; Joseph F. Ryan. More than a ton of questionnaires have passed through the hands of the commissioners and clerks. At one time, Miss Ella Lee, chief clerk, had on her staff several extra clerks, including two soldiers who were detailed for that purpose.

The final shipment of records was for 1350 pounds, including the two steel filing cases, which were crated, and several other boxes of cards and data. Different orders as to arrangement of questionnaires and record cards have delayed shipment and the selective draft board is now retired. Captain Lee is probably retired with the brevet rank of Colonel and it may be stated that Captains Joe Ryan and Maynard Young can be promoted to major if they so desire.

Engraved cards, embossing and monograms at the Index-Tribune print shop.

GLOBE TROTTERS BECOME FANCY CHICKEN PRODUCERS

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nivet are having excellent success with their thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rock chickens and are selling many eggs for hatching. Archie Gale of El Verano was lucky enough to get 13 baby chicks out of a setting of 13 of these eggs and other buyers have reported similar results. Mr. and Mrs. Nivet who were travelers from the British West Indies, became interested in Sonoma Valley and after looking about, decided to settle here and at "Arrah-na-Pogue" have established a lovely little home and have gone into the raising of these barred rock chickens of great size and beauty.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Your attention is respectfully called to the rule now in effect which requires subscription to be paid in advance. The ruling was adopted to comply with orders issued by the War Industries Board and should be lived up to. Kindly see that your subscription is kept up in advance. All subscriptions not in advance or brought up to date by June 1st will be charged for at the rate of \$2.50 per year. Subscription in advance, \$2 per year as at present.

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THE INDEX-TRIBUNE

The many friends of Mrs. Julia Burris will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from her recent critical illness. She was under the care of Dr. Hennessy and several times her life was despaired of but the firm faith in the family physician, who has brought her through many sicknesses, is said to have had much to do with her recovery.

Mrs. Frank Shaw and children are sojourning at their country home in the eastern foothills.

Mr. and Mrs. Lair, who have spent the winter here for the benefit of Mrs. Lair's health, have gone to the Feather-River country but may return to locate here permanently.

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The result was a sensational motion picture, "Careless American," in which the story of our wantonness is told with a graphic realism that is interesting beyond words. This picture is now due here and will be shown at the Don Theatre on April 12th, (Tonight).

THEODORE RIEBLI BUYS FINE RANCH

A big deal was closed yesterday when K. Knudsen sold the Peter Bannan ranch at Penn Grove to Theodore Riebli, who will take immediate possession in a few days. The ranch, which was owned by Peter Bannan for years, has 60 acres with improvements. It is one of the best productive ranches in that section of Sonoma county. Mr. Riebli also bought the stock together with 5000 hens. He will engage in the poultry business and will also conduct a dairy. The price paid is said to be \$18,000.

Fritz Helberg, who has been with the army of occupation in Germany, was to start home but was detained on account of sickness.

Victor Leveroni drove 25 head of prime beef steers from Novato to Sonoma Wednesday. They were purchased by Leveroni & Maffei for their market from Dave Leveroni.

Mrs. Morris Levy has been visiting her sister Mrs. Fuller Roehat in S. F.

SUCCESSFUL YOUNG DAIRYMAN IN TOWN

Ben Streeter, formerly of the O'Brien ranch, but now conducting a dairy on a 500 acre ranch on the Petaluma side of Sonoma mountain, was in town Thursday. Mr. Streeter is milking 45 fine cows and has recently installed a milking machine which he pronounces a great success. Scarcity of help and the fact that men employed as milkers now command \$70 per month wages, led to the installation of the new device from the Tomasini Hardware Co. Mr. Streeter sells his cream to a Petaluma firm as he is nearer that city now than Sonoma. He reports feed as looking very promising although the growing season is a month later on the mountain than down here in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cailleaud entertained Sunday at an elaborate dinner in honor of their daughter, Louise and her husband, Rodney Prestwood. Besides the newly weds were present the brothers of the bride H. Cailleaud, and A. Cailleaud and their wives from San Francisco, Adrienne Voison, a cousin; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Prestwood, parents of the groom, Harold Prestwood and Stephen Duhing. There was a six course dinner served, and many and beautiful were the toasts given to the happy young couple in whose honor the affair was given.

Tony Kiser of Sonoma mountain has bought a ranch near Penn Grove and is to go into the dairy business on his new property shortly.

Mr. Odella of Vallejo a relative of the Cogos', has been quite sick here and under treatment by Dr. I. C. Gobar.

Coroner and Mrs. Frank Phillips of Petaluma were the guest of Sonoma valley friends at dinner last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Larsen (Lilly Johnson) arrived here Monday evening for a visit with local friends.

TWO SOLDIERS APPEAL TO LOCAL RED CROSS IS BEING INVESTIGATED

Through the Social Service Department of Sonoma's Red Cross of which Mrs. C. E. Johnson is chairman an appeal was made last week by two soldiers who exhibited their discharge papers and asked for aid saying that they were entirely out of funds and wanted assistance until they could get work. The Red Cross immediately took steps to find employment for the ex-soldiers and meanwhile arrangements were made at a local hotel for the care of the strangers who had served their country and seemed worthy of the interest bestowed on them.

L. M. Bish of the Madrone Vineyards was the first to offer employment and as soon as he heard that the applicants were ex-soldiers he came right down in his machine and took them up to the ranch. Later in the day the men were seen around town and when asked why they had not accepted work at Madrone said the wages were all right but that they had no blankets which they were expected to supply for their lodgings there and so decided not to take the job. Mr. Bish later denied this story and it afterwards developed that the soldiers also refused another job offered at Boyes Springs. Instead of going to work at either places, they took advantage of the Red Cross generosity and stayed another night at the local hotel after which they left town quite unceremoniously. The Red Cross is willing to aid all worthy cases but does not intend to be imposed upon and the aforesaid instance is recited as a warning to other communities so that the underserving will not get what is intended to be cheerfully given our well meaning but perhaps financially embarrassed unemployed ex-soldier boys.

The local Social Service section has been quite busy of late acting in behalf of soldiers claims, insurance and such matters. Clothing has also been going forward from here for refugees in France.

ENLIGHTENING TALK BY DR. BUTLER BEFORE A SANTA ROSA CLUB

Dr. Fred O. Butler, superintendent of the Sonoma State Home, gave a most timely and interesting talk at the Civic Study Club, Santa Rosa, Wednesday, and his topic had to do with the problems of the mentally defective as the institution is trying to deal with them. There was a large attendance at the social service office in the court house and the speaker treated of the various grades of feeble minded, classifying them as idiots, imbeciles and morons, according to their mental age. His classification embraces idiots with minds up to three years; imbeciles, from three to seven years, and morons from seven to twelve years.

The Eldridge superintendent gave statistics regarding the inmates of the home, having complete records available; this data in regard to the family history enables the doctors to arrive at the causes of the defectiveness. According to the records, the cause of feeble mindedness of from 60 to 70 per cent of the inmates may be traced to heredity, one or both parents having been either insane, epileptics or feeble minded. Alcoholism of parents is the cause of only five per cent of the cases at the Sonoma State Home. The cause in 11 per cent of the cases under observation was traced to various diseases such as measles, scarlet fever and so forth. Contagious diseases and injuries are responsible for the rest of the cases.

Dr. Butler gave a brief resume of the history of the Sonoma State Home from the time it was founded in Santa Clara in 1885 until it was removed to Eldridge in 1891. He told of the workings of the institution, methods of admission, methods of treatment and sterilization, which under the present law is being carried out to a large extent. The speaker told of the fact that in California institutional facilities are entirely inadequate to take care of the number of feeble minded in the state. He said there are hundreds on the waiting list for admission to Eldridge and have to wait for months and some for years before there is room. There are a number discharged each year on parole or on probation. In California there are about 16,000 feeble minded, one of the largest percentages of any state in the Union, but these cannot all be rightfully charged to California, since a large proportion are born outside the state.

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THE CRITIC, THE BEANS AND THE SWINE

Once there was a foolish critic, and he harped on the black outlook of his own home town.

And he wondered why it did not grow, and searched widely, (according to his vision) for the reason.

And it never occurred to him that you can't make hair grow on your own head by rubbing the bald spot of the other fellow.

With a little introspection, turning the spot light on himself and the likes of him, as the Irishman would say, he would get the answer in a nut shell.

Attitude is a word that applies here, the attitude of the individual, toward his community.

As you sow, so you reap, but seed dumped in by some folks needs treatment, for they spill the beans woe fully.

What dy'e mean, spill 'em?

Well, for example, idyllic summer resorts, in the heart of a beautiful valley, where summer smiles eternal

Curative and healthful mineral waters and baths, famous since Padre days.

Ye critic turns all these under like he would beautiful flowers.

And exposes crude earth and wringing worms

Denizens of the under world, the exception, not the rule.

Innocent frolic is lost sight of in a mad pursuit of the vicious, a favorite pastime of reformers. Undesirable publicity a plenty is given

And then it's sponser ponders on why his home town does not grow.

Every knock is not a boost, whistle through the grave yard though you will.

Example No. 2.

A big industry starts producing products, carrying far and wide the home town's name.

A pay-roll, long heralded as the key to prosperity, is a reality.

All in war time too! When the country was handicapped by war-time problems.

Then the big plant had a little hard luck, of the kind that happens in the best of regulated industries even under normal circumstances.

Recall how the beans were spilled again

And ye foolish critic expected to sprout prosperity and healthy growth from the microbes

He dug out of official archives and magnified as a boost for home town goods.

Some logic, that! And he dares to ask why his home town doesn't grow

The very day he prated of the lack of Sonoma goods on Sonoma shelves

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Prunes from a Sonoma ranch via a Sonoma merchant.

Coffee and sugar from—yes, but quite superfluous, since the light wines for which Sonoma is famous

Would preclude the use of the imported products for beverage purpose.

But pshaw! ye critic has also cast wine into Limbo

Avast! Friend! Spill not the beans, though ye think them "pearls before swine."

Pearls do not germinate, as a rule, and swine, though they say are common clay,

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The wine shipment of Mt. Pisgha cellars, Goldstein Ranch, above Agua Caliente, has just been completed and amounts to 20 carloads or about 75,000 gallons of wine, actual production of the 250 acres of vineyard, in the wine and liquor or allied business where nothing else could probably be raised on a paying basis. The firm has been paying out from \$14,000 to \$16,000 annually for labor in order to keep the vineyard up to a high state of cultivation and production. There are hundreds more paying wages just like this or even more every year to our working people yet the present sentiment and threat of sentimental fanatics or prohibitionists is toward abandoning wine making and the planting and cultivating of vineyards. Some few years now, some vineyards have been neglected or destroyed on account of the agitation and uncertainty of this prohibition question. This great industry has developed and progressed for half a century in California and wine drinking has been a custom from generation to generation, many regarding wine the same as any other tonic when taken moderately. Millions of dollars are invested by many people in land, buildings, machinery, cooperage etc., and the industry has yielded great resource to the federal government and the state, 750,000 employees have been engaged in the wine and liquor or allied business. 116,000 people are employed in the retail end alone. If prohibition takes effect, they will all have to look for other occupations. Then there are a large number of people who have invested all their hard earned savings in acreage on hill sides where they cleared off trees brush and rocks and converted the land into nice vineyards and built a nice home and provided for the future. Prohibition means the ruination of these happy homes and the thrift of these people. I hope something or some power will be found to destroy this germ of prohibition which seeks to deprive the people of their liberty, happiness and freedom in a great Republic like the United States, a nation of all nationalities. E. SCARPELLINI, Cellarman at the Mt. Pisgha Vineyard.

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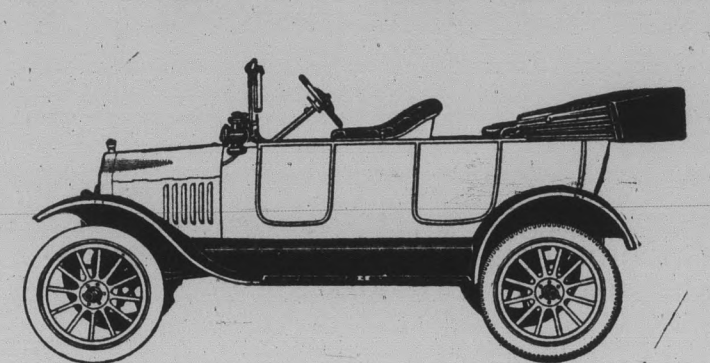
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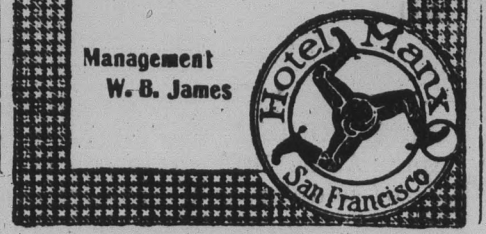
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VINEBURG

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We are glad to report to the many friends of Mrs. Leland Brubeck, who has been quite ill, that the lady is now convalescent.

Fred Batto, accompanied by Mrs. Leona Batto, Miss Adele Andrieux and Masters Francis and Herbert John Batto, motored to Petaluma on Wednesday.

John Mohr, the motion picture magnate of Sonoma, still continues to delight large Vineburg audiences every Tuesday evening at Martins.

Messrs Enrico Pomi contractor and Fred Lowell the well known orchardist of "Glen Ethel" transacted business in the Metropolis the fore part of the week.

Attorney Robert Poppe transacted business in this vicinity on Tuesday last.

Geo W. Reed and son Geo. Jr., of Sonoma were visitors at Battos spur on Sunday last. The veteran station agent wished to find out from Jim Small how the political situation in "China" was, but Jim told him he would have to see Geo. Cassidy first before he could give him an ans.

Everybody is now busy working their vineyards and orchards while the pleasant weather lasts.

Messrs Norman, Heggie, Fred Batto and Son Bud Batto formed a fishing party that whipped the streams of Sonoma valley on Sunday last in quest of the lucious trout. By good hiking and steady fishing, they obtained the limit and had a fine time.

The Historian Debating Society will meet next Friday evening. Question to be debated on, Resolved, Does the New Change in Time have any effect on the Wingo mosquito.

The hatcheries in this vicinity are now working to full capacity and some expect to be busy until the middle of May. This part of the valley is, and always was noted for fine baby chicks.

Frederick A. Blackman of Berkeley has bought the Carlson place at Buena Vista through the agency of W. W. Carter.

Mrs. Grover Rubke was hostess to the Jolly Twelve club at her Vineburg home Wednesday afternoon and also Saturday evening.

Chas. Beach has received word from his soldier sons in France. One of the boys who participated in Verdun and many important engagements is enroute home but the other son is employed by the Knights of Columbus for hospital work and will remain indefinitely.

Louis Martin, popular proprietor of Vineburg Inn, has been critically ill with heart trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wagner and Miss Mattie Goodman motored to Petaluma this week.

Mrs. Tom Monahan has returned home from San Francisco after a pleasant visit with her daughter who has a new baby.

Dr. T. A. Nufer met with an accident while operating on a horse at Penngrave. The animal in struggling struck Nufer in the face, breaking his cheek bone.

The Toscano Hotel was the scene of an enjoyable affair Tuesday when the hardware men of Sonoma and Napa counties met for a get-together dinner.

R. C. Henelay of Petaluma has bought the Lehrke ranch and will locate here with his wife.

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LOST—Last Saturday between Paul's resort, El Verano and the Gables, pair of eye glasses in case Return to Paul's resort. Reward.

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NARROW ESCAPE FROM AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

While driving her car on the road near Glen Ellen, one day this week, Mrs. Brereton of Vallejo, a daughter of Mrs. G. W. Estes, had a narrow escape with the other occupants of the car when the steering gear broke. The accident happened at a bad turn on the road where there is a steep embankment and the car clung to the side of the declivity as it was brought to a stand still. Mrs. Estes who has been ill, was with her daughters, Mrs. Brereton and Mrs. Paul Robin and all were thoroughly frightened though thankful at their escape. They owe their luck to the fact that they were traveling at a low rate of speed.

SHELLVILLE AND VICINITY

Mrs. C. Jensen and two little daughters returned to their home in Berkeley after a three weeks visit here. Mr. and Mrs. M. Millerick accompanied them and expect to be gone for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kiser and family with the exception of Fat and Gus motored to Vacaville Sunday, Mrs. Engstrom was a guest also.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meyer returned to their home at Esparto after a visit with the Ben Meyers.

Jack Millerick, Jack Kane and Lloyd Saunders drove 175 head of cattle to Vacaville Saturday.

Chas. Potter and sons, David and George, visited San Francisco Saturday.

Fat Kiser, (George) spent the week end at the Millerick residence. On Sunday Fat and a party of friends enjoyed a swim at Caliente.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Stone are entertaining Oakland relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Marcucci, newlyweds were recent visitors in San Francisco and vicinity.

Mrs. Frank McGill and son Stanley visited relatives at Napa over the week end.

Mrs. Hoegeman returned to S. F. after a visit with her daughter Mrs. H. Pauli.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Semino are the proud possessors of a beautiful victrola with cabinet and the family derive much pleasure out of it.

HAPPY JACK.

T. J. McGimsey, former bonded warehouse keeper, and one of Sonoma's old and respected citizens has been quite ill with Dr. Thomson in attendance.

Mrs. J. E. Poppe has been indisposed the past week.

Miss Doris Nonella has returned from Fresno and San Diego. While away she saw her brother, Fred, off for Siberia on the transport Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Campbell have been enjoying a motor trip through the Santa Cruz mountains the past week.

Miss Inez Reed who has been visiting Mrs. Ruth Poppe Kruger in San Francisco has returned home.

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STATE HOME BUYS RANCH FOR \$27,500

In addition to the usual quantity of routine business, the Board of Managers on Wednesday directed President R. A. Poppe and Secretary Frank A. Cromwell to sign a contract for the purchase of the Reynolds ranch in Nun's Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warboys for \$27,500.00.

This ranch property has a valuable water right which is greatly needed for the institution. Possession is to be given within 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature, when the money becomes available.

EXPERT MASSAGE AND TREATMENTS AT GETCHELL SANITARIUM

Mrs. Getchell returned from San Francisco last Friday, the Professor remaining down at his city office 508 Ellis St., where he is meeting with great success with his remedies and treatments.

Mrs. Getchell has opened the widely known sanitarium opposite Boyes Springs for the 1919 season assisted by an expert masseur from San Francisco. He will massage the men patients and Mrs. Getchell will be in attendance on ladies and children. The treatments given at Getchell's sanitarium are declared to be highly successful in cases of rheumatism, paralysis, dropsy and kindred ailments.

Carl Bundschu has recently bought a Santa Rosa ranch and was up there Sunday with H. Hopps of Ross arranging for improvements. The families will spend Easter week there.

The following well known local citizens were chosen for trial jury duty this week, L. H. Green, John Steiner, W. W. Carter, E. C. Campbell, Tom Ryan, P. S. Malone, and Chas. Kemp.

Mrs. L. C. Lewis of Alameda and the Oliver family have been up for the week at the Lewis ranch above El Verano. Mr. Oliver who is attorney for the State Bank Commissioners was here Sunday last, but left for Sacramento on Monday.

The Flying Needles will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Cutler the first Wednesday in May.

Don Theatre

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Saturday, Apr. 12, Mack Sennet presents "Hide and Seek Detectives" in 2 parts. A Klever Comedy and a Careless America.

Sunday night, Apr. 13, Adolph Zukor presents Lina Cavalieri in "The Eternal Temptress" a Paramount.

Wed. and Thurs., Apr. 16-17, Adolph Zukor presents Pauline Frederick in "Madame Jealousy" a Paramount picture.

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Mrs. Adam Adler is expecting a visit from her friend, Capt. Heinke's wife, who has been in charge of the San Francisco Womens Athletic club and will come to Sonoma before making a trip back East.

S. Coudutti, P. Bidon, E. Guffanti and A. Fabbri are to appear before Judge Seawell Tuesday in regard to their citizenship papers.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP,

Management, Circulation, etc. required by the act of August 24th, 1912, of the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, published weekly at Sonoma, California, for April 1st, 1919.

Editor, Celeste G. Murphy, Managing editor, Celeste G. Murphy, Business Managers, W. L. and Celeste G. Murphy. Publisher, W. L. Murphy. Owners, Celeste G. Murphy and W. L. Murphy, both of Sonoma.

Known bond holders, mortgagees and other security holders, holding one per cent or more of the total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities, None.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of April, 1919.

ROBERT A. POPPE
(SEAL) Notary Public in and for the County of Sonoma, State of Cal.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Estate of ARTHUR BATTO, Deceased.

Notice of Time and Place for Proving Will.

C. C. P., Sec. 1303

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MONDAY, the 14th day of April, A. D., 1919, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, in Department Two thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Arthur Batto, deceased; and for the hearing by the Court of the application of Fred Batto and August Figone, for the issuance to them of Letters Testamentary thereon.

Dated March 24th, A. D., 1919.
(SEAL) W. W. FELT, JR., County Clerk. By M. D. Horwege, Deputy Clerk. ROBERT A. POPPE Esq., Attorney for petitioner.

First publication March 29th, 1919.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

No. 10,741

BERYL LOCKE GROVE, Plaintiff, vs. ALBERT LOCKE, et al., Defendants.

Action was taken in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the county clerk of said County of Sonoma.

The People of the State of California Send Greeting to:

ALBERT LOCKE, also spelled ALBERT LOCK, LILLIE R. LOCKE, also spelled LILLIE R. LOCK, MORGAN L. TODD, JOHN DOE, RICHARD ROE, JANE DOE and MARY DOE, Defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days, if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in this complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court this 14th day of May, 1918.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of William Davis, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned Frank H. Phillips, administrator of the estate of William Davis, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of W. T. Mooney, his attorney, Rooms 21-22, Gwin Building, 32 Washington Street, Petaluma, California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

FRANK H. PHILLIPS,
Administrator of the estate of William Davis, Deceased.

Dated at Petaluma, Cal., April third, 1919.

W. T. Mooney, Attorney for Administrator, Petaluma, California.

First publication April 5th, 1919

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA

No. 11,089

MYRTLE KEEL, Plaintiff, vs. WILLIAM P. KEEL, Defendant.

Action was taken in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the county clerk of said County of Sonoma.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in this complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court this 28th day of February, 1919.

(SEAL) W. W. FELT, Jr., County Clerk.

By John Burroughs, Deputy Clerk. First publication, March 8th, 1919.